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1. All claims are allowable. However, due to a potential interference, *ex parte* prosecution is SUSPENDED FOR A PERIOD OF 6 MONTHS from the date of this letter. Upon expiration of the period of suspension, applicant should make an inquiry as to the status of the application.
2. The previous letter of suspension should have indicated that the application was being suspended pending the publication of a reference, not due to a potential interference. The previous suspension period was entered to permit the patent granted to Kelly et al on application no. 11/046,572 to publish as US Patent No. 7,459,065 B2 on 2 December 2008. The application is now being forwarded to the Board of Appeals and Interferences for consideration of a possible interference between this application and the Kelly et al patent.

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